

THE CALEDONIAN.

Laws of Vermont,
A. D. 1861.

Designated by the Secretary of State for publication in the newspapers.

No. 1.—An Act apportioning the members of the Senate of this state to the several counties.

It is hereby enacted by the General Assembly of the state of Vermont as follows: Sec. 1. The several counties in this state shall be entitled to elect and have their senators in the following proportion, to wit: Addison county, two; Benning county, two; Caledonia county, two; Chittenden county, three; Essex county, one; Franklin county, three; Grand Isle county, one; Lamoille county, one; Orleans county, two; Rutland county, three; Washington county, three; Windsor county, three.

Sec. 2. All acts inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed.

Approved Nov. 20, 1861.

No. 3.—An Act to provide for the exercise of the executive powers in cases of vacancy of the offices of Governor and Lieutenant Governor.

It is hereby enacted, &c. Sec. 1. Whenever there shall be a vacancy in the offices of governor and lieutenant governor, occasioned by a failure to elect, or by the removal from office, or by the death, resignation, or inability of both the governor and lieutenant governor, the speaker for the time being, of the house of representatives, shall act as governor, and shall exercise the powers and discharge the duties appertaining to the office of governor, accordingly, until the disability shall be removed, or a governor shall be elected.

Sec. 2. The act entitled "an act relating to the offices of governor and lieutenant governor," approved November 10th, A. D. 1851, is hereby repealed.

Sec. 3. This act shall take effect from its passage.

Approved Oct. 30, 1861.

No. 4.—An Act to amend an act providing for the revision of the public laws of this state, approved November 26, 1860.

It is hereby enacted, &c. Sec. 1. Section one of "an act providing for the revision of the public laws of this state," approved November 26, 1860, is amended, so that the report contemplated by said act to be made to the general assembly at its present session shall be made to the governor of this state on or before the 20th day of June, A. D. 1862.

Sec. 2. Said commissioners shall have the said revision printed and ready for the use of the general assembly by the first day of July, A. D. 1862.

Sec. 3. This act shall take effect from its passage.

Approved Nov. 21, 1861.

No. 6.—An Act for the protection of the treasury.

It is hereby enacted, &c. Sec. 1. It shall be the duty of the governor to require the officer in command of each regiment from this state, that is now or hereafter be in the service of the United States, to make, or cause to be made, and returned to the adjutant and inspector general of this state forthwith, a full and complete roll, by companies, of the non-commissioned officers, musicians, and privates, in his regiment; and thereafter, until such regiment is discharged from service, the commanding officer thereof, on the first day of each of the following named months, commencing on the first day of January, A. D. 1862, to wit: the months of January, March, May, July, September and November, shall be required to report to the adjutant and inspector general, all changes in his regiment, caused by promotion, desertion, death, discharge, or otherwise, since his last preceding report, giving the date of each such change; and he shall be required, at the same times, and in like manner, to report all additions to his command by enrollment, stating the name, age, date of enrollment, and place of residence, of each person so enrolled. And it shall be the duty of the adjutant and inspector general to furnish, as soon as practicable, a certified copy of each report herein provided for, to the treasurer of this state.

Sec. 2. The officer in command of any detached company from this state connected with any other regiment in the service of the United States, shall make, or cause to be made, such returns and reports of his company as are required by section one of this act.

Sec. 3. The proviso to section second of the act entitled "an act to provide for the families of citizens of Vermont, mustered into the service of the United States," approved April 26, 1861, is hereby amended, so as to read as follows: "provided, that no order shall be paid by the treasurer of the state for less than seven dollars, unless such soldier shall have died, or have been discharged from service; nor shall such order be paid unless the name of the soldier be found, by the treasurer, upon the rolls lodged in his office, as required by the first section of this act, and such order of the soldier shall be countersigned by the commanding officer of his company, or by the acting quartermaster of the regiment in which such soldier shall serve; and the provisions of this act, shall be subject to attachment by trustee process."

Sec. 4. Minors and men without families in the service, may draw orders upon the state treasurer for the seven dollars per month due to them from the state, upon the conditions, and under the restrictions specified in the second section of this act.

Sec. 5. This act shall take effect on the first day of December, A. D. 1861.

Approved Nov. 21, 1861.

No. 7.—An Act in amendment of section four of an act for the better protection of the treasury, approved November 27, 1860.

It is hereby enacted, &c. Sec. 1. Section four of an act entitled "an act for the better protection of the treasury," approved November 27, 1860, shall hereafter read as follows: "If the treasurer shall divert, misapply or conceal any of the public treasure, he shall, on conviction thereof, be punished by imprisonment in the state prison for a term not less than two nor more than ten years."

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect from its passage.

Approved Nov. 8, 1861.

No. 8.—An Act in addition to an act relating to the duties of the late state treasurer.

It is hereby enacted, &c. Sec. 1. The committee appointed by "an act relating to the duties of the late state treasurer," approved November 26, 1860, are authorized, in their discretion, to commence and prosecute any suits at law or in equity, in the name of the state of Vermont, against said treasurer and any of his sureties, and any other parties, to enforce and protect the rights of this state, and may employ counsel for that purpose; and said committee may also redeem any property attached on any process in any suit now pending against said treasurer or his sureties, from any mortgage or encumbrance, if in their judgment the interest of the state requires it, and the auditor

of accounts is directed to draw all necessary orders upon the treasurer of the state for that purpose. *Provided*, that if all the assets of the late state treasurer belonging to the state, growing out of the defalcation of said late treasurer, now in the hands of any person, shall be surrendered to the state, then said commissioners are hereby authorized, if in their opinion it shall be for the interest of the state, to discharge any and all of the signers of said late treasurer's bonds who may prove, to the satisfaction of said commissioners, that they have in no way participated in the use of treasury funds, for speculation or other purposes; and provided that such discharge shall not be so construed as to impose upon any person not discharged the payment of any larger sum than he would be obliged to make if no such discharge had been given.

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect from its passage.

Approved Nov. 21, 1861.

No. 9.—An Act in relation to accounts of superintendents of schools.

It is hereby enacted, &c. Sec. 1. The superintendents of schools are hereby required to make out in detail their accounts for official services, stating the date and time spent, as well as the nature of each act of service rendered, and make oath or affirmation to the correctness of the same before some magistrate in the town where such service was rendered, which oath or affirmation shall be certified to by such magistrate before such superintendent's accounts shall be presented for allowance.

Sec. 2. The accounts of superintendents of schools shall be presented to the state auditor, and when approved by him shall be paid out of the treasury of the state upon his order; but no order shall be drawn to any superintendent until said superintendent shall have filed with the state auditor the receipt of the secretary of the board of education for the statistical returns of the preceding school year as required by law.

Sec. 3. So much of section one of an act entitled "an act relating to common schools," approved November 23, 1858, as may conflict with this act is hereby repealed.

Sec. 4. This act shall take effect from April 1, 1862.

Approved Nov. 21, 1861.

No. 10.—An Act in addition to an act entitled "an act to provide for the establishment and enlargement of school house yards," approved November 26, 1860.

It is hereby enacted, &c. Sec. 1. Any school district requiring lands for the purpose specified in the first section of an act entitled "an act to provide for the establishment and enlargement of school house yards," approved November 26, 1860, or for the purpose of building a school house, or for the purpose of building a school house, such school district shall cause the mortgage, that is required to be given to the owner; and the mortgage, as specified in the act aforesaid, shall be paid to the mortgagee or his assignee; but if the sum due on the mortgage be less than the damage, the amount due thereon shall be paid to the holder, and the balance to the owner, on the payment of which damage a valid title should vest in the district for the purpose aforesaid.

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect from its passage.

Approved Nov. 8, 1861.

No. 15.—An Act in addition to an act entitled "an act in relation to the disclosures of trustees," approved December 6, 1853.

It is hereby enacted, &c. Sec. 1. In all cases of trustee process, any claimant of the funds or property in the hands of a trustee shall have the same right to apply to the court for the appointment of a commissioner for the plaintiff or trustee, as in and in all trustee cases, in which a commissioner has been, or may be appointed, such commissioner shall hear and report upon the claim of any claimant in the cause, and to that end shall such claimant of the time and place of such hearing, in the same manner as is provided for the notice to the trustee in such cases; and the court upon such report shall determine the rights of the claimant; *Provided*, that this act shall not apply to any case in which a hearing has already been completed before a commissioner.

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect from its passage.

Approved Nov. 21, 1861.

No. 16.—An Act in addition to chapter thirty-one of the compiled statutes, relating to sale of property on mesne process.

It is hereby enacted, &c. Sec. 1. The same request may be made, and the same proceedings had, for the sale or other disposal of property attached upon mesne process, after such process shall have been returned, as are provided in chapter thirty-one of the compiled statutes, for the sale or other disposal of property attached on mesne process; *provided*, that such sale or other disposal shall be made before final judgment in the suit in which such attachment was made.

Sec. 2. When the officer shall sell property as provided in section one of this act, he shall forthwith make returns of his doings, and sale to the clerk of the court, or to the magistrate before whom said process shall be pending, and such return shall be appended to, and made part of the officer's return on said process.

Sec. 3. This act shall take effect from its passage.

Approved Nov. 16, 1861.

THRESHING MACHINES.

The subscriber continues to manufacture these machines at his shop at Wheelock, Vt., and has made several important additions and improvements in the same, so that for durability and ease of operation he confidently believes they

CANNOT BE BEAT!

He is now getting ready a large number of such machines for the fall and winter work, which he will sell on reasonable terms for approved credit or cash down.

OSBORN W. BIRD,
Wheelock, July 6, 1861. 1250ft

HEMLOCK BOARDS!

The subscribers have for sale at Passumpsic village, a large lot of hemlock boards of different qualities—150 thousand or more of nice quality—all square edged. Applications for boards may be made to either of us, or to Mr. Young, owner of the saw mill at said village. E. JEWETT,
St. Johnsbury, April 1, 1861. 37-1t

SHINGLE & CLAPBOARD MACHINES

Of latest pattern, and Cast Iron Water Wheels various sizes manufactured and for sale by
LUKE BUZZELL, St. Johnsbury, Vt.

HORSES WANTED!

DURA WARREN will be at LINSEY'S HOTEL, Lancaster, N. H., on Friday, Nov. 29, and at the St. Johnsbury House, Saturday, Nov. 30, 1861, and wishes to buy several good, sound and kind horses for Cavalry use. Must stand kind hands high, and weigh 1000 pounds. Any one having such a horse or horses will meet him at the above place. 69-70

FARMS FOR SALE.

The two farms now owned and occupied by me are situated in the northwest corner of Lyndon, and are situated in a beautiful location, and are well adapted for farming. Any one wishing to buy would do well to give me a call before purchasing elsewhere. Full particulars can be had by calling on me at the premises.
G. L. MATHEWSON,
June 27, 1861. 1247ft

NEW STYLES

MILLINERY & DRESS GOODS.

E. McDougall,

is just opening a LARGE ASSORTMENT of elegant
FALL GOODS!
Black and Colored
SILKS,
Poplins, Plain and
Printed Tibets, Cashmeres, Delaines & Prints.

NEW STYLES OF BONNETS.

Hats, Ribbons, and
French Flowers.

EMBROIDERIES,
of beautiful patterns
at the

Lowest Prices.

Ladies call and examine our stock. "No trouble to show goods."
St. Johnsbury, Sept. 11, 1861. 50ft

MUSIC.

Miss MARY HASTINGS will give instruction upon the Piano Forte. Rooms at H. Hastings on Summer street.
References.—Messrs JOHN H. PADDOCK, C. H. CLARKE.
St. Johnsbury, Dec. 26, 1860 22

NOTICE.

The undersigned would hereby give notice that he will continue the business of the late firm of BALDWIN & BURPEE at the old stand.

He intends to manufacture all styles of

LADIES' GENTS' MISSES' AND CHILDREN'S

BOOTS, SHOES AND GAITERS.

By employing good workmen—using the best of Stock, and by giving his personal attention to manufacturing

GOODS FOR THE RETAIL TRADE,

he hopes to receive a share of the public patronage. He will, as usual, keep on hand a good assortment of

BOOTS & SHOES

for the WHOLESALE TRADE,

which he will sell to Merchants at the VERY LOWEST PRICE.

He will also keep a good supply of

Shoe Stock and Findings,

such as, SOLE & UPPER LEATHER,

FRENCH & AMERICAN CALF SKIN

KID & GOAT STOCK,

Pegs, Nails, Thread, Linings, Bindings, Goring Serges and Shoe Tools of all descriptions.

B. C. BURPEE,
Baker's Building, Railroad Street,
St. Johnsbury, Sept. 6th, 1861.

ST. JOHNSBURY ACADEMY.

FALL TERM BEGINS SEPT. 3d, 1861.

WINTER TERM BEGINS NOV. 23, 1861.

SPRING TERM BEGINS FEB. 18, 1862.

SUMMER TERM BEGINS MAY 29, 1862.

J. K. COLBY,
Secy of Trustees.

SOMETHING NEW.

Just what the Place and Times Demand.

A SHOE MANUFACTORY

At Lyndon Center, Vermont.

For the manufacture and sale of Ladies, Misses and Children's Shoes, in all the various styles from

Kid, Goat, Calf and Serge Stock.

In times like the present, when civil war is raging in our land, and money is scarce, it becomes us to economize. Good Shoes are not only articles of economy, but the wearing of them is a very valuable means of extending our credit, and preserving the health. Keep the feet dry and warm, and you have a longer life to live, less medicine to buy, and fewer doctor's bills to pay.

The proprietor guarantees that one pair of shoes made at this establishment will outwear four pairs of the cheap, and almost worthless articles brought from the cities. He buys the best of Stock, and employs none but the most experienced workmen.

Style, Quality & Workmanship unsurpassed. Call and leave your orders. Repairing done at short notice.

Manufactory and Sales-room at the premises formerly occupied by Dr. C. O. DENISON.

S. H. LADD, AET. GEO. G. BRUCE, Forem'n.

G. H. LADD, Proprietor.

FURS, FURS.

J. B. GORHAM has just received a large stock of FUR GOODS, among which are ladies' American Sable, Fitch, River Sable, Siberian Squirrel, Tipplets, Capes, Muffs, and Cuffs;

Gent's Fur Coats, Collars, Gloves; Nutria, Seal, Otter, fur-trimmed & other CAPES;

together with a general stock of

GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS,

TRUNKS, VALISES,

UMBRELLAS,

Traveling Bags, Buffalo Robes, &c. Also, a large variety of

SOFT HATS,

including latest styles, and Fall styles of Mole-skin Hats. All of which will be sold at his usual low prices.

St. Johnsbury, Nov. 1, 1861. 69-78

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

C. C. CHILDS

WATCH-MAKER, JEWELER AND ENGRAVER,

Opposite the Post Office, St. Johnsbury, Vt.

Is this week opening his

NEW STOCK

of Goods which he has recently purchased in New York and Boston at the lowest cash prices, and he now offers from his large

Stock of WATCHES, JEWELRY, SILVER and Silver Plated Ware,

Fancy Goods,

Books & Stationery, Toys, Pictures & Picture Frames,

Great inducements to all who wish to purchase any articles in his line of goods, as he sells for

CASH AT LOW PRICES.

Also, he has made arrangements with some of the principal Importers and Manufacturers of New York and Boston to furnish him with the latest styles of Watches, Jewelry, Plated Ware, &c. Also with some of the first publishing houses to supply him with any articles in the Book and Stationery line, weekly, thereby giving him advantages, (not possessed by other dealers,) to furnish his

customers at all times with new and desirable goods, such as Watches and Jewelry of all kinds and styles, Books and Stationery, Silver Plated Ware, Fancy Goods, a great variety, 1001 kinds.

GERMAN TOYS.

of laughable styles and amusing to children. Plain and Colored Lithograph Pictures, Oval, Gilt and other Picture Frames.

At my store at all business hours may be seen free of charge, a Picture Gallery, containing Stereoscopic and many fine Stereoscopic Views.

SPECTACLES AND EYE GLASSES.

Of Gold, Silver and other kinds of bows. My assortment and experience will enable me to help fully supply the wants of those who can be helped, equal to any optician, and at one fourth less price.

Mrs. C. C. CHILDS continues to manufacture

HAIR JEWELRY

in the latest and most approved styles and at cheaper rates than in Boston or New York.

S. B. I. continue to manufacture my Silver Spoons and warrant them from standard.

Old Gold and Silver taken in exchange for goods.

Those wishing to purchase will find it for their interest to give me a call.

All Goods Warranted as Represented.

WATCH, CLOCK, AND JEWELRY

REPAIRING AND ENGRAVING.

Having had over 12 years experience in the business, being a practical Watchmaker and Engraver myself, I shall spare no pains in giving satisfaction in this department of my business and warrant all work.

C. C. CHILDS,
St. Johnsbury, Vt.

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FARMERS, ATTENTION!

ASSIGNEES SALE.

The undersigned assignees of Alexander Lang, now offer for sale at his old stand, in St. Johnsbury, at greatly reduced prices, his large

stock of

PLOWS,

FLOW CASTINGS, STOVES,

FARMING TOOLS,

of every description, together with West India Goods, Garden Seeds, &c. &c.

Farmers, cannot afford to neglect, and buy here you can buy the cheapest. We have now, and shall have, a good assortment of the articles heretofore kept at the same store.

St. Johnsbury, Mar. 20, 1861.

B. MOULTON, Assignees.

J. ROSS,

NOTICE.

All persons owing Alexander Lang must call at once and settle, to save cost; and all persons having claims against him are requested to present same immediately to the subscribers.

St. Johnsbury, Mar. 20, 1861.

B. MOULTON, Assignees.

J. ROSS,

PURE LIQUORS AND WINE FOR PRIVATE USE AND MEDICAL PURPOSES.